I am opposed to any petition that tells a manufacturer how to build a radio. It seems to me that the current manufacturers already provide us with outstanding products that consistently manage to surpass in quality their preceding models. Making the case that any company that would fail to make "field repairable" radios would just leave the business is pretty callous and short sighted. We want as many companies as possible competing for our business. If "field repairable" radios were important, then the commercial marketplace would already be flooded with them. As it is, I am much more interested in reliability, ruggedness and features that the marketplace already provides.

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